

THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Confirmation No. 6479

Hideyuki HASHI et al.

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Serial No. 10/803,977

Group Art Unit 2627

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Examiner William Klimowicz

HEAD SUPPORT DEVICE AND DISK DRIVE

USING THE SAME

THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED TO CHARGE ANY DEFICIENCY IN THE FEES FOR THIS PAPER TO DEPOSIT ACCOUNT NO. 23-0975

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated August 11, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows.